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Previous References

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CLASS B

Part B for Appeal W6

SUBJECT

Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and Grant of a site in exchange for the Construction of a Church in B. Jayachamarajendra Road Block
L. 15 376-77 dt 14-4-48
The Mel Commissioner
Bangalore
Sanction the

Petition addressed to the Hon'ble R & L by Mr Rajchalappa and others of Cubbonpet Bangalore city, bewailing the delay of nearly 3 years in granting them exchange land and requesting that the land around the old chapel which has been acquired may be granted to them for the purpose of building a Roman Catholic Church

Hon'ble Minister

Law Secretary, for urgent report

Secd 6 P.

2) The Roman catholic residents of Cubbonpet Bangalore city have since July, 1941, been requesting the grant of a site in exchange for the one belonging to them, which was acquired by the Bangalore city Municipality, for the construction of a Roman Catholic Church

3) The connected file is sent up. It is seen that no compensation has been paid by the Bangalore city Municipality, as the Bishop (the owner of the site acquired) does not want money compensation, but only exchange of land equal in extent in the new Mission Road. The grant of exchange land of an equal dimension was estimated to cost Rs 45,344 during 1942 and it would be considerably more under the present conditions

4) In this office letter No L 7723 d 6-2-42

Mr 119-41 (106-111)

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the Municipal Commr Bangalore city was definitely informed that the Church Authorities may be allowed to go on with the work construction of their building according to an approved plan, as it would not be right that they should be made to wait any longer and thus be inconvenienced.

Again in this office letter d 9-9-43 the Municipal Commr was informed that this question should not be delayed and that its disposal should be expedited.

The Municipal Commr has been addressed on 31-5-45, to report immediately the stage at which the above question stands at present and his reply is awaited.

1) A copy of the present reminder petition will be sent to the M Commr for an urgent report in three days

Initd 4/6/45

2) Cir 5-6-45

3) [illegible] above

Initd 5/6/45

Subd with a draft

Initd 6/6/45

Iw. 6/6 The M Commr

No 11886 D 9-6-45

Calls for report in 3 days

9372

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Submitted with a draft reminder
HE 18/6
JA 18/6

(3) Some enquiries

To the Asst Commissioner B'cliffe

L 12286, d. 10/6/45

Calling for a report in the matter of acquisition of land for construction of a Roman catholic church

Encs A
HS 29/6

From the Municipal Town Bangalore City

D 1 12 40/42, dated 12-7-45.

Forwards a report in the matter and adds that the Chief Engineer may be consulted re. the disposal of the site applied for by the Mission, as the whole of the Cavalry Barracks area has been recently acquired by Govt

(4) Land reference is requested to the plan furnished by the Municipal Town, which makes the position clear

(5) The Municipal Town has reported that it has been decided to acquire plot "D" shaded green, and give it in exchange for plot "A" (shaded red) which the Municipal Town had decided some time back to acquire for the construction of a row of commercial offices and shops

(6) The area of plot "D" is more or less the same as that of plot of "A", being 8245 Sq. Yards as against 8258 Sq. Yards

(7) It is reported Mr. Mascarenhas has agreed

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to the proposal and that necessary action is being taken to prepare the plan and valuation statement for the acquisition of this piece of land

(8) Regarding the old Church site, the Municipal Commissioner has suggested that the Town Engineer may be consulted, as the whole of the Gangaramaya area has been recently acquired by the Govt.

(9) Kind reference is invited to the ML Comm's report of the sketch Plan 2 wherein it is stated that the MC would acquire plot A belonging to the Roman Catholic mission and give in exchange plot D. for the reason whereon action is being taken in the ML. The Municipality is requested to have agreed to the arrangement receipt of further report may be awaited

(10) Whereas another piece of land which the Roman Catholic mission wants reference invited to the sketch Plan 2 of my report that the old Church site which is indicated by the letter D with surroundings shaded with crosses maybe made over to them for the construction of a church whereas it is stated that the site

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is situated on the northern side of the Mattam road and the Jaffna-Kankesanthurai road and that the whole of it has been acquired by the Govt. The Lt. Mahavidyalaya has produced certain documentary evidence to show that the site belongs to the Roman Catholic Mission ever since 1842. The Chief Engineer for Roads & Buildings will be requested to state whether the area stated, the land can be given to the Roman Catholic Mission for ever.

for Colonial Secretary
18/7/45

2) Forwarded with compliments, to the Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings, for favour of information as to whether the land in question referred to in Parl 20 supra may be given to the Roman Catholic Mission, Batticaloa, as requested by them.

B-O
2nd/7/45
for Colonial Secretary

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General and Revenue Secretariat

Serial No

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This office note no 339 dated 25-7-45 calling for a report from the Chief Engr. for Roads & Buildings regarding the grant of exchange land for the land belonging to the Roman Catholic mission, Bangalore

1) Submitted with a Do reminder to the Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings, for approval

2) Typed
8/1/46

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To The Chief Engineer for Roads & Buildings
Lr 6480 dt 9-1-46

Issues a Do. reminder for the return of the file with his opinion

3) It is ascertained that the file will be returned with the opinion of the CE R&B in 2 or 3 days.

Submitted

4) Impersonal Reminder issued 10/1/46

10/1/46 5) It is regretted that no reply has been received to the reminders issued to the CE R&B 11/1

3711/d

Sub'd with a D.O. reminder

Issue
Am
13/1/46

Re
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L 6693 D 17-1-46

Reminds

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Subject - Application for land in Old Gangammacherry for the construction of a Roman Catholic Church

U O No 222 Dated the 21st/22 January 1946.

Returned with compliments

23 The land referred to, by the Roman Catholic Mission about 150 yards by 75 yards is situated to the North of the New Mission Road and is at a distance of about 300 Yds from the Town Hall This land includes an area of about 26 Yds by 40 Yds which is said to have belonged to the Mission since the year 1842.

24 The Municipal Commissioner, to whom this question was referred to for furnishing certain details, has in his office No L 1 1240/42 dated the 8th December 1945 (copy enclosed) stated that the land required for the Mission consists of certain private properties now partly acquired and partly under acquisition for Government to clear the surroundings round the Town Hall and also certain lands belonging to the Municipality The cost of the latter area (i e , land belonging to the Municipality) is said to be about Rs 70,000/- and the cost of private properties acquired under acquisition is estimated at Rs 22,000/-

25 So far as the Town Hall is concerned, the land under question being sufficiently far away from it, is not very necessary and particularly in case Gov-ernment would be required to pay Rs 70,000/- or so for the Municipal land referred to The length of 300 Yds with the varying widths to the south of the Town Hall would be sufficient for the purposes of open space round the Town Hall

26 So the land now asked for by the Mission may be given for the purposes on condition that they pay Rs 22,000/- being the cost of acquisition plus incidental charges if ary to Government and also the additional amount of Rs 70,000/- for the land said to belong to the Municipality.

27 It may also be made a condition that this land should not be used for any other purpose than building a

Church and the design adopted be approved by Government.

Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department,
Bangalore.

Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings.

K.G.21st

Letter No L1 1240/42 dated 8-12-1945 from the Municipal Commissioner, Bangalore City to the Government Architect in Mysore, Bangalore

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Subject.- Application for land in old Gangammacherry for the construction of a Roman Catholic Church

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With reference to your letter No 297 dated 10-8-1945 forwarding a blue print showing the property prayed for by Mr Mascaranhas for the Roman Catholic Church, I have the honour to forward herewith a plan showing all the details desired by you, along with the blue print received with your letter No under reference

Mr Mascaranhas states that the land marked 'PQBR' was the old site on which the Church existed The land marked ' W X Y Z' is the extent now desired for the new construction This site consists of private properties that were acquired and are being acquired for the extension of the Town Hall area and also of some Municipal land

The total extent of land applied for is 10,110 sq yards Out of which, an extent of 3146 sq yards comprises of the private properties already acquired and being acquired at the cost of the Government The balance of 6964 sq yards belongs to the Municipality

The cost of the properties comprised within thearea of 3146 sq yards will come to about Rs 32,000/- and the cost of Municipal land will be roughly Rs 70,000/-

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'Copy'

Chief Engineer for Roads & Buildings

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28) Mr Mascarnes has asked for the grant of exchange land measuring 150m x 75m Yards, or 10110½ Sq. Yards, (Vide portions marked W, X Y Z in the Plan) This includes an area of about 2640, Yards, which is said to belong to the Roman catholic Mission since the year 1842

29) Out of the above total area of 10,110 Sq. Yards applied for by Mr Mascarnes, an area of 3146 Sq. Yards comprises of private properties already acquired and being acquired at the Cost of Government and the remaining area of 6964 Sq. Yards belongs to the Municipality

30) The Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings is of the opinion that the land asked for by the Mission may be given to them on condition that they pay Rs 22,000/ or so, to Govt, being charges incurred in connection with acquisition and also an additional amount of Rs 70,000/ for the land said to belong to the city Municipality

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31) Kind reference is invited to Municipal Commissioners letter no R I 1240, dated 12-7-45, wherein it is stated that the Muscanes has agreed to take plot 'D' (8245 sq yards) in exchange for plot 'A' (8258 sq yards) acquired from the Muslim Authorities by the city Municipal council

32 Information as to the amount of compensation awarded by the Land Acquisition Officer for the properties of the Roman Catholic Mission, if any, or the market value of these lands at the time of acquisition, is not available

33) For orders, if the Municipal Comm Bangalore city may be addressed on the proposals of the Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings

34 Regd on what point? Re-dg 26/11/46

Dr 23/11/46

Dr 29/11/46

35 The proposal involves the grant of Municipal properties estimated to cost Rs 2,000/ as stated by the Chief Engr for R & B

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36) Sukhi wrote a draft letter to the Municipal Comm Bareilly for orders.

37) A draft letter is putup to the ML Govt. Secrett. calling for info on the specific point (para 3 of Suprs)

Sd/- [illegible]
31/1/46

38) Issue [illegible]
1/2/46

To The Municipal Comm Bareilly
No 7835-d 4-2-46
Calls for further information

39) Sukhi with a draft DO reminder for appl
AP 5/3-

Yours [illegible]

DO reminder No 1905-2 d 7/3/46

From the Mc Comm Bareilly
No C 1240/42 d 25-2-46
States that a report would be submitted after a decision is reached by the Municipal Council

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TYPING SECTION 5 MAR 1946

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From the Municipal Town Bacalar.
No. 1-C-1240 d 30-4-46
States that the decision of the Municipal Council would be communicated in due course
(2) Further report will be awaited till 1-6-46

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42) Perusal with respect to para 3 supra

43) The receipt of further report promised by the M.C. will be awaited.

Reminder sent 11/5/46

44) Noted 13/5/46

To reminder No 1647 d 12-7

From the Private Secretary to H.H. the Maharaja dated 13-8-46
Forwards for disposal the petition received from certain Roman Catholics of Corozal re grant of a site in the area for erection a Church.

45 Another Do reminder is sent to the Municipal Town Board Bacalar No 445-3 d 27-9-46
Reminds for immediate reply

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From the Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja

D o no H 242/46-47 dated 31-3-47

Fds (for disposal) petition dated 29-3-1947 from certain Roman Catholics of Cubbonpet and Mavalli - Bangalore city re. the grant of a site in exchange for the one which on a Church in the Sri Rajachanna Rajendra Road - Bangalore city

~~Another~~ Note

4) Minister Munk

Please call for a report from the Municipal Commissioner etc on early date

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5 APR 1947

6) Another D o reminder to the Municipal Commissioner

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4) Reminder sent 7/4/47

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From the Municipal Commissioner
Bangalore city
No R7 DR93/C.1178/4647 & 18 & 47

Forwards the resolution of the municipal Council passed at their meeting held on 15 3 (47) on the subject of the acquisition of the belonging to the Roman Catholic Church

50) held. The municipal Council have resolved that the land measuring 150'x100' facing Jagachamarajendra Road maybe granted free of cost to the Church authorities & that compensation be paid for the land to be acquired from them as per valuation both fixed by the Engineer. Called for addl with reference to above

JH
27/5/47

51) Which is the land proposed to be acquired by the Mcty and what is its extent? What would be compensation amount corresponding to the valuation to be fixed by the Hd Engr The Mcl Commrs report is not clear from reading

52) A detailed letter called for the above information is furnished

53 Documents returned

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~~80 25-58700~~

To - The Municipal Town

14922 d 26-6-47

Calls for the above returns

~~Sec A~~ 5th Submd with a draft D-o reminder

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To

The Municipal Town

17413 d 25-6-47

Reminds

~~Sec A~~ 5th Submd with a Draft D-o reminder

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18 JULY 1947
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1167 d 21-7-47

Reminds

From the Mu. Town

~~Sec A~~

A-D n 93 c 1178 d 25-7-47

States that the question of ~~the formation~~ of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church being acquired, the has not been passed before the city-

Subject. Application for the grant of land in the Old Jaffna cemetery for the construction of a Church

Improvements Committee for reconsideration

58) In the circumstances reported, the receipt of further report from the Municipal Town Barcelore Engr will be awaited

59) The question relates to the sale of portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic church & grant of site for the construction of a church in Sri Jayawardanapura road, which certain particulars were called for in this connection from the Chairman & Secretary was not furnished by them. Secretary states that the matter has now been placed before the City Improvement Committee for reconsideration

60) In the meanwhile certain of gentlemen connected with the

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Said Church, especially Mr Macnaughtan, [illegible] has been given reports interviewing the officials concerned quite recently has reported that the matter maybe settled very early. If cannot be disposed of until the particulars called for are received from the NL Govt. Already these facts maybe sent to the Minister for Edn & P H as regards the causes of delay in the disposal of this case

Necessary from 7/8/47

by for perusal. The Municipal Commr will be requested to expedite the matter

Minister Edn & P H 9/9/47

19/8/47

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To Education Dept
Date 19/8
No 1327

VD 01570—C1 B—500 pads of 100 sheets each—12 2 46

b) Send with a draft letter.

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64) Re-submitted, with as instructed

65) The history of the case has been explained at-
Paras 14 to 27 of the notes Supra

66) Vide is for orders, if the resolution of the
Bangalore City Municipal Bd to grant the land
measuring 150' X 100' facing the Jayachama-
Rajendra Road, free of cost to the Church
authorities may be approved
Not 2
or
the Municipal Bd may be directed not to
accede the Church authorities.

From the Municipal Comm Bangalore City
16/9 L I C 1240 dated 6-10-47

Forwards a report regarding the
acquisition of a portion of land belonging
to the Roman Catholic church and grant of
a site for the construction of a Church

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M/s. Jayachama Rajendra Road - Bangalore

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Subj.- Requisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and grant of a site for the construction of a Church in Jayachamarajendra Road - Bangalore City -

67) These papers relate to two questions viz 1) Request for grant of a site measuring 150 x 75 feet S. & P. yards in the Jayachamarajendra Road for erecting a new church by the Roman Catholic Mission and

2) acquisition of two plots of agricultural land on the new Kumbarganda Road - ~~C.S. Apt~~ (Jayachamarajendra Wadiyar Road) opposite to the Sewage Tanks belonging to the Catholic Mission and grant of land in exchange

68) Re Question I Enclosed Reference is invited to the Plan of the area (Flag P) The Church Authorities want the land measuring 150 yards by 75 yards, which is

Situated to the north of the new Mission Road at a distance of about 300 yds from the Town Hall. The portion marked P.W.B.M in the plan is said to be the old site in which the Church is said to have located & an area measuring 26 yds by 40 yds is said to belong to the Mission, since, 1842

6) The total extent of land applied for on this area by the Church authorities is 10,110 sq. Yards, as detailed below -

		Cost -
1) Land acquired & to be acquired at Govt cost -	3146 sq. Yards -	Rs 22,000
2) Land belonging to the Municipality	6964 sq. yds —	Rs 70,000.

7) The Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings has recommended that the land asked for by the Mission may be given for the purpose, on payment of a sum Rs 92,000 by the Mission Authorities to Govt and Municipality and that the Church is built as per design approved by the Govt

(area 26 yds NOTES)

8) It is doubtful if the Church Authorities

could pay such a heavy amount for these sites

4) Regarding question no 2

Reference is invited to the plan
furnished by the Municipal Engineer
plan III on 3-10-1947 — wherein explanations the
position clearly

3) The city Municipal Council wants to
acquire an area of 7396 Square Yards
(and not 8418) out of S nos 100/1, S no 2
and portion of S no 3 of Doddabaglakkere village
is proposed to acquire an area of 6302 Square Yards
of agricultural land (S no 4. S no out of
S no 100/2) and give it in exchange to the
Mission Authorities in addition to the
Municipal land of 720 Sq Yards
abutting the road

4) Besides the city Municipal Council

Las, on 15-3-1947- resolved that an area of ~~xxxxxxxxx~~ 100' x 150' on the northern side of the Mission road almost opposite to the area of land proposed to be granted be granted to the Church authorities.—

Vide N

Free of Cost

4) Points for orders

1) Whether the Church authorities may be addressed on the payment of a sum of Rs 4 2000- for the 1a 110 sqs yards of land applied for by them, in the Gajaramachari area-

2) Whether the Municipal Council may be requested to restore the area in the Sri. Gajachamaraja Endra Road which is proposed to be acquired - to the Church authorities-

and

3 Whether the resolution dated 15-3-4

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of the Municipal Council in regard to the grant of land measuring 100' x 150' on the northern side of the Mission Road, free of cost, to the Church, as the site may be sanctioned under section 41 (2) of the M. M. Act - 1933.

~~It is also for consideration whether a~~

~~Electric~~

Ref. W. 8/10 Pg. 107 (b) The proposal of the Municipal Council dated 15.3.47 to give to the Catholic Church an extent of 100' x 150' on the northern side of the Mission road free of cost, for the construction of a church may be sanctioned under Sec 41 (2) of the Madras Act 1933. Before the grant is actually made, it is

necessary to erect

the area proposed to be granted

belongs to the P. W. D. but must

belongs to the municipality further

-sented if Govt the land at the

Plan II place as shown on the sketch. it would

be desirable to allot

with plan III on the very site where the old

church existed so that the tattered

nature of the institution may be

preserved

(xxi) As regards the land belonging to

the Bishop in the Doddabyalakere

village, it may be stated that

Hoff re beyond a restriction of the city Mcd

that it might be acquired for the

construction of commercial shops etc so as to

fit with the layout formed for this

-ty, no further action has been taken

acquisition proceedings have been

vide Hoff dropped for the objection raised

by the Bishop that Govt was not willing

to part with the land and that it
[illegible] not land in exchange in
case it is to be acquired. The Mil
cl proposed to acquire several areas
in order to give the land in exchange
But to see the proposal however
materialized. The Bishop is
stated to have bought the land
-3⅓ acres in extent - opposite to the
Shivaya Valley - to build a school
and a convent. '18) In view of the
unwillingness of the Bishop, [illegible]
to part with the land and
he also wants to utilize the land for
a public purpose by the construction
-school or convent, the Mil cl
may perhaps be advised not to acquire
it but to restore it to the
Bishop. Before doing so, the spot
may perhaps be inspected - in company
with the Chief Engineer for R.D.S, the
President, the Mil cl & the Mil
Comm. so as to see that it

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disturbed or affected. ~~The~~
The land is restored, it was
to be laid down that the public
buildings to be constructed are
should be according to approved
plans & designs to as to be
an architectural ornament to the River Jumna
- Cl. making entire road
79) The Mr Cowie has stated that the
question has been referred to the City
Improvement Committee & the Mr Cl to
reconsider point. This would take
a long time before a decision could
be arrived at. We can only
maybe passed approving the resolut
of the Mr Cl to give free grant
of 100 x 150' for constructing a church in
Ramkanwalbagh area, ~~and also to~~ the Mr Cowie
being requested to demarcate the area
& hand over possession of the same to
the mission authorities
80) The land measuring 2½ acres

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(44)

belonging to the Bishop may not be
acquired but restricted to Reverend
Father Jerrera for the erection of
a school, a convent for the allied
institutions according to approved plans
for orders

Rev Secy) for ---
11/10/47

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81) A. Approved.

82) B also approved. Its acquisition appears unnecessary as the Church authorities intend putting up a school and other allied institutions

JLH

DCWeaver) 11/10/47

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83) Minister for atty Municipalities may see This file

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MINISTER FOR C & I
PARLIAMENT HOUSE
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7-11-1947

Minister for C & Ind's & M) 7/11/47

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I inspected the spot on Friday the 21st November 1947, in company with the Municipal Commissioner, Municipal President, Vice-President and some Municipal Councillors, when Rev Texeira and Mr Mascernnas and others were present and explained their case The site now showed in the plan No III measuring 100'x150' facing the Mission Road which has been recommended to be granted, is in the Cangammachery area, which I am told has been acquired by Government, and the buildings thereon, are to be removed It was therefore suggested, that, the site to the East of it, wherein it is said that there was an old Chapel may be given to them, in lieu of the above site It was accepted by Rev Texeira and Mr Mascernnas Further action has to be taken on receiving the resolution from the Bangalore City Municipality

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the same

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85) forwarded with an urgent reply for appl

13/12/47 15/12/47

Rev Texeira 22/12/47

24/12

To The Municipal Commissioner Bangalore City

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Thanks for the above information

Sd/-

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From the Municipal Comm Barcaloe city
A 7 D N 93 C 11178/47-48 dated
6-1-1948

States that the city Municipal Council at its meeting held on 19-12-47 has agreed the grant of the alternative site measuring 150' x 100' in the New Mission Road to the Roman catholic authorities for the construction of a Church, as against the site originally proposed and requests sanction of Govt thereto — —

1) The city Municipal Council has agreed to grant the alternative site measuring 150' x 100' in the New Mission Road, to the Roman Catholic authorities for the construction of a Church, under the usual conditions. This is for orders
The sketch is flagged 'D'
Refer para 8 of Supra.

13/1/48 Pr 15-1-48 2) Pl enquire whether the site now proposed to be granted entirely belongs to the city etc what are the conditions subject to which the lands proposed to be granted / 13/1/48

3) A draft letter is put up

4) Issue advice & return

13/1/48 Pr 15-1-48 To The Sec Town 126 70 dt 20-1-48 Calls for the above information / 16/1/48 /

Returned

14/1/48 Pr 20-1-48

+ marked B

+ vide paras A in para 4 supra

RECEIVED ON 16 JAN 1948

grant of land on the West Coast [illegible] Plot C in Roman Catholic [illegible]

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93 The reply received from the Municipal Commission, Bangalore in regard to the grant of the site in the West Mission road to the Roman Catholic Church is for perusal the receipt of further information called for is awaited

94 reference 84 supra - for perusal

new reply dt 21/1/48

95) please bring up for 2 days - Munshi there was a letter These further queries again

22/1/48

Letter dated 10-2-48 from the Mascarenhas re the grant of land in the Mission Road

orders of the Minister for city Affairs

96 on what stage is this Question?

Submitted pl as asked from the Mission Body

D R 93 dt 20-2-48

Furnishes the information called for

91) The points raised in para 90 supra are answered below

whether the site now purchased to the grantee entirely belongs to the Municipality?

It is reported that the site

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TYPED 14 FEB 1948

A D-o reminder is put up

[illegible] 3/2/48

Done today [illegible] 3/2/48

13145 5-2-48

Reminder TYPED 4 FEB 1948

Submitted with A D-o reminder dt 13-2-48 P-13-FEB

Done today [illegible] 1 Marsh

Question belongs to the Municipality – and that a portion of the same in the north west corner has been completed by the Church authorities

Whether the proposal involves no acquisition of lands or houses?

No

" what are the other conditions which the City Municipal Council proposes to impose?

It is reported that the only condition proposed by the Council is that the land is to be given to the Church authorities free of cost-

98) Point for orders

Resolution of the Bareatwe City Municipal Council to grant free of cost, the alternative site measuring 150'×100' – (belonging to the City Municipality) in the New Muslim Roads Bareatwe ward, for the construction of a Church – (vide sketch plan 'D' portion marked B thereon)

3975 4/48 [illegible]

9) Refer para 8 & 4 supra

26/2/48 Pr. 26 2 48 10) The proposal referred to in para 9 & supra maybe approved

Refer paras 84, 95 & 96 supra

Necessary Amn 26/2/48

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Maybe sanctioned

Minister
C. Affairs & Housing

27/2/48
Amn

THE MINISTER FOR CITY MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS
No 1366
Dt 28-2-48

101) The resolution of the Council is approved

P Gelukis
17/3/48

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103) Addl Pr to above pl
& 173 ag

Issue above
for
18/3/48

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103) A draft letter is put up

Pr
18/3/48

The Mn Com may kindly
see the letter to Sol-
15-3-48-Y dt 1-4-48
Sanctions

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MINISTER FOR LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT
AND PUBLIC HEALTH

Bangalore, 1943

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER
FOR L S G & P H
Date 4 2 43
No M 152

ml 119-41 (106-111)

It was brought to my notice that the Municipality has not taken any action to acquire the lands required for the channel and has entered upon a portion of these lands. I see from the file that apart from the intention of acquiring the portion of channel lands no further action is taken for the erection of temporary buildings taken any definite step. Under the circumstances the Municipality may be asked to allow the channel authorities to go on with the construction of these buildings according to a given plan the question has been hanging fire since 1939 and it is time steps had been taken to be initiated

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Law Secy
M(C)

Mr KHS

Off at once

4/2/43

SECY LAW DEPT
GOVT OF MYSORE

Serial No

4) Submitted with a draft letter for approval
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Cus 5-2-43
Approved as noted
5/2/43

To the ml Commr, Berar
No L 7723 dt 6-2-43
Requests him to submit a report of action taken in the matter

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SUBJECT

Section ML

File No

Serial No

Diary No of letter replied to

No L 7723

General and Revenue Secretariat

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the *194*

To

To The ML Commr, BCG/T,

Sir,

Date of issue 6/2/43

Signed by Maj GR Rao

With reference to your letter No RL 977/41-42 dt 7-5-42 re the acquisition of the land by the city mdlp belonging to the Roman Catholics and the grant of a site in exchange therefor for the construction of a Roman Catholic church, in the new Kumbarguda area, I am directed to state that it has since been brought to the notice of Govt that no action has been taken to acquire the land

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required for the Church in exchange of portion of their lands
authorities. Nor has the question
of the construction of an Insurance
Building in the area it taken any
definite shape Govt regret
to note that this question has
been pending since the year 1939

In the light of the above facts
I am to request you to be so good
as to allow the Church authorities
to go on with the construction
of their building, according to an
approved
given plan, as it would not be
right that they should be made to wait any
longer & thus be
inconvenienced

The matter may be kindly
treated as immediate & a report of action taken
sent to Govt early

Thanking you

Yours

Sd/-
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for Secy to Govt
Land Deptt

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

No L 7723 *Dated Bangalore,* 6 February 1943

FROM

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore
Law Department

To

The Municipal Commissioner,
Bangalore City.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No L1-977/41-42 dated 7th May 1942 regarding the acquisition of the land by the City Municipal Council belonging to the Roman Catholics and the grant of a site in exchange therefor for the construction of a Roman Catholic Church in the new Kumbaragundi area, I am directed to state that it has since been brought to the notice of Government that no action has been taken to acquire the land required for the Church authorities in exchange of a portion of their lands. Nor has the question of the construction of an Insurance Building in the area taken any definite shape Government regret to note that this question has been pending since the year 1939

In the light of the above facts, I am to request you to be so good as to allow the Church authorities to go on with the construction of their building according to an approved plan, as it would not be right that they should be made to wait any longer and thus be inconvenienced

The matter may be kindly treated as immediate and a report of action taken submitted to Government early

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Secretary to Government,
Law Department

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BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY

No LT-977/41

MUNICIPAL OFFICES

Bangalore 13th March 1943.

SECRET & P I BRANCH 5588-1 L S G BRANCH

FROM P Suryanaravana Setti, Esq , B A , LL B ,
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER
Bangalore City

To

C. Narayanaswamy Naidu, Esq , B A , B L ,
SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT
OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE
LAW DEPARTMENT, BANGALORE

SIR,

With reference to your letter No L 7723 dated 6-2-1943 stating that the Church authorities may be permitted to construct the Roman Catholic Church in the new Kumbargundi area, I have the honour to state that your letter has been placed before the Municipal Council for consideration and their decision will be intimated in due course

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

T Suryanaravana Setti
Municipal Commissioner

ksm

For kind perusal and reference to the minute of the Minister L S G & P H dated 4 2 1943 placed below. The receipt of the further report may be awaited

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR L S G & P H Date 23 3 43 No 7830

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SUBJECT

Reminder

Diary No of letter replied to

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Section Ml

File No

Serial No

No L2219

To The Municipal Commissioner,
Bangalore city

Sir,

In forwarding reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No L1-977/41 dated 13th March 1943 regarding the acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholics and the grant of a Site in exchange for the construction of a Roman Catholic Church in the new Kumbaraguda area, I am directed ~~to request~~ you ~~to state~~ expedite ~~to be communicated~~ Subject placed ~~whether the Municipal Council~~ the submission of the ~~as to the~~ decision of the Municipal Council in the matter

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BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY

No L1-977/41

Encl

MUNICIPAL OFFICES

Bangalore 24th Aug. 194 3

FROM

P SURYANARAYANA SETTI, ESQ, B A LL B
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER
Bangalore City

To

C Narayanaswamy Naidu, Esq , B A , B L ,

SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT
OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE
LAW DEPARTMENT BANGALORE

SIR

With reference to your letter No L 2219/M1 dated 20-8-1943, regarding the acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholics and the grant of a site in exchange for the construction of a Roman Catholic Church in the New Kumbargundi Road, Bangalore City, I have the honour to state that the subject is pending before Council and that their decision in the matter will be submitted in due course

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

P Suryanarayana Setti
Municipal Commissioner

ksm

SECY LAW DEPT 1392 GOVT OF MYSORE

1392 28 AUG 1943 L S G BRANCH

Subject for perusal.
Receipt of a further reply will be awaited
K.B. 30/8

This is a case in which question of delay should not be allowed to make us change our mind to grant the relief prayed for very well
30/8/43

This matter cannot be delayed like this - must be expedited
Draft with a draft letter for appl 31-8-43
K.B. 6/9
6/9/43

TYPING SECTION

L.6893
17-1-46 Immediate

Dear Sir,

In inviting reference to this Office D.O. No. 339 dated 25-7-45 and subsequent D.O. reminder No. L 6480 of 9-1-46, regarding the grant of exchange land for the lands belonging to the Roman Catholic Mission, Bellary, I am desired to request you to kindly return the above file, immediately with your opinion thereon, as

The question is pending for
more than six months & the parties
pressing for a decision thereon
the matter is of more than six months
standing

Yr Lincoln
Jan
15/1/46

Rotha Levasseur
Mr. v- Benthal-Esq,
D.A.C.
Chief Eq.
Van Ross

L 64480

Immediate — 9-1-46

Dear Sir,

I am desired to invite reference to this office No. Fdc 10339 dated 25-7-45, regarding the grant of Exchange land for the lands belonging to the Roman Catholic Mission Bagalkot, and to request you to kindly return the file with your opinion thereon, immediately, as the question is hanging for a long time. The things are to be disposed of urgently.

The Chief Engineer
Roads & Buildings
(By Name)

Yours faithfully

L3043 Dy 9/9

To The Mn Commr. Beijing thro DOA

Sir, With reference to your letter no L(927/41 By 24/8/43, re the acqn of a portion of the land belonging to the Roman catholics & the grant of a site in exchange for the construction of a Roman Catholic church in the New Kumlangundi Road, Beijing, I am directed to state that this question cannot be delayed in the interests of the disposal should be expedited

I have etc

for

Mn Dir of Surveys & Land Sett

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L-1161 31/5/43

Immediate

The Municipal Commr
Bangalore City

S. v,

I am directed to invite reference to this office letter No. L3043 dt 9-9-42, re the acquisition of a portion of the land belonging to the Roman Catholics and the grant of a site in exchange for the construction of a Roman Catholic Church in the New Extension

Road, Bangalore city and
to request that a reply in
regard to the place at which
the above question stands may
be sent immediately

Thanking
you
Yours truly
John Lawley

9/1/15

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JUL 1945
L S G BRANCH

To

O PULLA REDDY, ESQ., M.A., I.C.S.,
First Minister to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER
FOR REVENUE & LAW
No. M 1000
Date 28/5/45

Sir,

We, the Roman Catholics, residing in Mavalli and Cubbonpet, beg to approach you with the following petition and trust it will receive your earnest and sympathetic consideration

In Gangammachery Block, close to the New Mission Road, Bangalore City, there is an old church site (marked D in plan) which has been our property for nearly two centuries Religious worship had been conducted therein from the time of Hyder Ali, but had to be discontinued and the old church pulled down, owing to its dilapidated condition

Deprived of our place of worship, we are obliged to hold service in the hall of a private house, in Cubbonpet This hall being very small, cannot accommodate one-tenth of the congregation, and our women-folk and children are put to great hardship, as they have to stand in the Sun or the Rain

In this predicament we approached the Catholic Mission Authorities for a decent church They gladly acceded to our request and as the site of the old chapel at Gangammachery was too small, they tried to acquire more land around it But the price demanded by the profiteering owners around was so exorbitant, that they were obliged to give up the idea of building a more spacious church on the site itself, and acquired a plot near it, marked A & B on the accompanying plan

The Bangalore City Municipality requisitioned a portion (marked A) of that plot for some Government Offices This was the best portion of our land, as it fronted the Jaya Chamaraja

Chamaraja Wodeyar Road They promised to give us a plot (marked in compensation This latter plot, is, in our view not suited for a Church opening as it does on a side road We want to put up a Convent and a School on the sites marked B & C

Although it is nearly three years now since this promise of plot marked C in place of A, and although the Minister two years ago himself took the matter in hand, nothing has been done upto date, and we are put to very great hardship for want of a Church

Now, we understand that the land around the Old Chapel has been acquired by Government, and that the old huts are being removed The religious traditions and sentiments associated with this site "D" where religious worship had been conducte nearly two centuries, urge us to approach you, Sir, and to earnestly request you to grant us the plot around the old Cap shaded with crosses This plot will enable us to build a Church in keeping with the architectural beauty of the buildings in the neighbourhood, and to orientate it towards Jayachamaraja Wodeya Road, so that, entering the Church from that Road, we will be reminded of our beloved Maharaja, and pray for his long life and a happy and prosperous reign We humbly assure you, Sir, that your name will be associated with that of His Highness

Imploring God's Blessing upon you,

We beg to remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient servants,

Bangalore City

S/o Rapkalappa
Wife
of Cubbanpet

True Copy of the
Petition submitted
to the First Minister
by the Christians of Cubbanpet.

L 11886 9th June 1948

Encl 1 — In duplicate —

To The Municipal Town Bacolod City

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with this office letter No L 11611 d 21-5-48, I am directed to forward herewith a copy of the petition ~~dated~~ received from Messrs Raphaelites and others of Tubbonpet, Bacolod city, addressed to the Minister for Revenue and Law in regard to the acquisition of a portion of the land belonging to the Roman Catholics and the grant of a site in exchange for the

DFS
for Typist

construction of a Roman catholic Church in the new Kumbaragunde Road, Bangalore city and to request that a report in regard to the stage at which the question stands at present may be submitted to Govt within three days

Yours truly
D'Souza

L-12202 Immediate 20/6/45

To

The Municipal Commissioner
Bcity

Sir

I am directed to invite
your reference to this
Office letter no L 11886 dated
9th June 45 calling for a report within 3 days in the matter of the
petition received from Messrs Raphaeppa &
others & submitted for the
acquisition of lands belonging to
the Roman catholics and the grant
of a site in exchange for the
construction of a Roman catholic
church in the new Kembavandi
Road, Bcity, and to request
you that an urgent report
in regard with the stage at which
the question stands at present, may
kindly be submitted to Govt very early

P T O

for
Asst Secy

... your definite views in
regard to the practice of the
original use chiefly for the conduct
of the church as prayed for in this
petition might be kindly furnished

Pl. see this on Wednesday

BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY

4 JUL 1945

MUNICIPAL OFFICES BRANCH

No 1240/42 L1 976/41-42

Encl.

Bangalore 27th June 1945

FROM K SUBBA RAO Esq, B A,
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER,
BANGALORE CITY

To

C Narayanaswamy Naidu, Esq , B A , B L ,
Legal Remembrancer and Secretary to the
Government of Mysore, Law Department,
Bangalore

SIR

Subject Petition of L/s Raphalappa and others of Cubbonpet for the grant of a site to the Roman Catholic Church, Bangalore in exchange of the church land proposed to be acquired

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With reference to your letter No L 11886 dated 9-6-1945 and subsequent reminder dated 20-6-1945 on the above subject, I have the honour to state that the matter has been referred to the Municipal Engineer for preparing a modified sketch and the valuation statement for the properties proposed for acquisition and they are also under preparation

2 On receipt of the same further action will be taken in the matter

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

K Subba Rao

Municipal Commissioner

hsr

BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY

GEN & REV SEC 322 14 JULY 1945

No L1 12406/45

Encl one plan

MUNICIPAL OFFICES,

Bangalore 12th July 1945

FROM

K SUBBA RAO Esq, B A,
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER,
BANGALORE CITY

To

C Narayanaswamy Naidu, Esq, B A, B L,
Legal Remembrancer & Secretary to Govt,
Law Department, BANGALORE

SIR,

With reference to your letter No L 11886 dated 9th June 1945, regarding the grant of exchange land for the land belonging to the Roman Catholic Mission, I have the honour to forward herewith a plan showing the details of the locality and to state as under -

Two plots of agricultural land marked A & B comprising Survey Nos 2, 3 and 100/1 situated on the new Kumbargundi Road (Jayachamaraja Wadiyar Road) opposite the Shivaji Talkies, belong to the Catholic Mission It is understood that the Mission purchased them some years ago for the construction of a Church The Mission Road runs along the northern boundary

Sometime ago, the Municipal Council decided to acquire plot "A" (shaded red) for the construction of a row of commercial Offices and shops, But the Mission took objection to the acquisition and besides, they did not want cash compensation They were however told that an equivalent plot of land marked "C" in the plan adjacent to plot "B" would be acquired and given to them in exchange and this proposal was agreed to by them. The boundary of plot "C" is marked in red pencil Proceedings were started for the acquisition of some lands including Plot "C" (vide Government Notification No L 11718-M1 22-43-72 dated 19th May 1944) Subsequently however, it was -

discovered that in the eastern portion of plot "C" there was a Mutt with a Hindu tomb in it It therefore became necessary to exclude more than half of plot "C" so as to avoid the acquisition of the Mutt. Mr L P Mascarnes who saw me sometime ago on behalf of the petitioners said that the remaining portion of plot "C" would be totally insufficient for their purpose In the circumstance, it has been decided to acquire plot "D", shaded green, situated to the east and south of plot "B" and give it in exchange for plot "A" Mr Mascarnes has agreed to this proposal, which besides, fits in with the layout of the area prepared by the Government Architect The area of plot "D" is more or less the same as that of plot "A", being 8245 sq yards as against 8,258 sq yards. Plan and valuation statement are under preparation for taking action to acquire this piece of land

In the copy of the petition, a reference is made to an old church site which is said to have been indicated by the letter "D" in the plan sent with the petition to Government Mr Mascarnes told me that this site is situated on the northern side of the Mission Road in the Gangammacherry area. So far as I know, this site does not belong to the Municipality The whole of the Gangammacherry area has been recently acquired by Government. The Chief Engineer to Government may perhaps be consulted regarding the disposal of the site applied for by the Mission

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Municipal Commissioner

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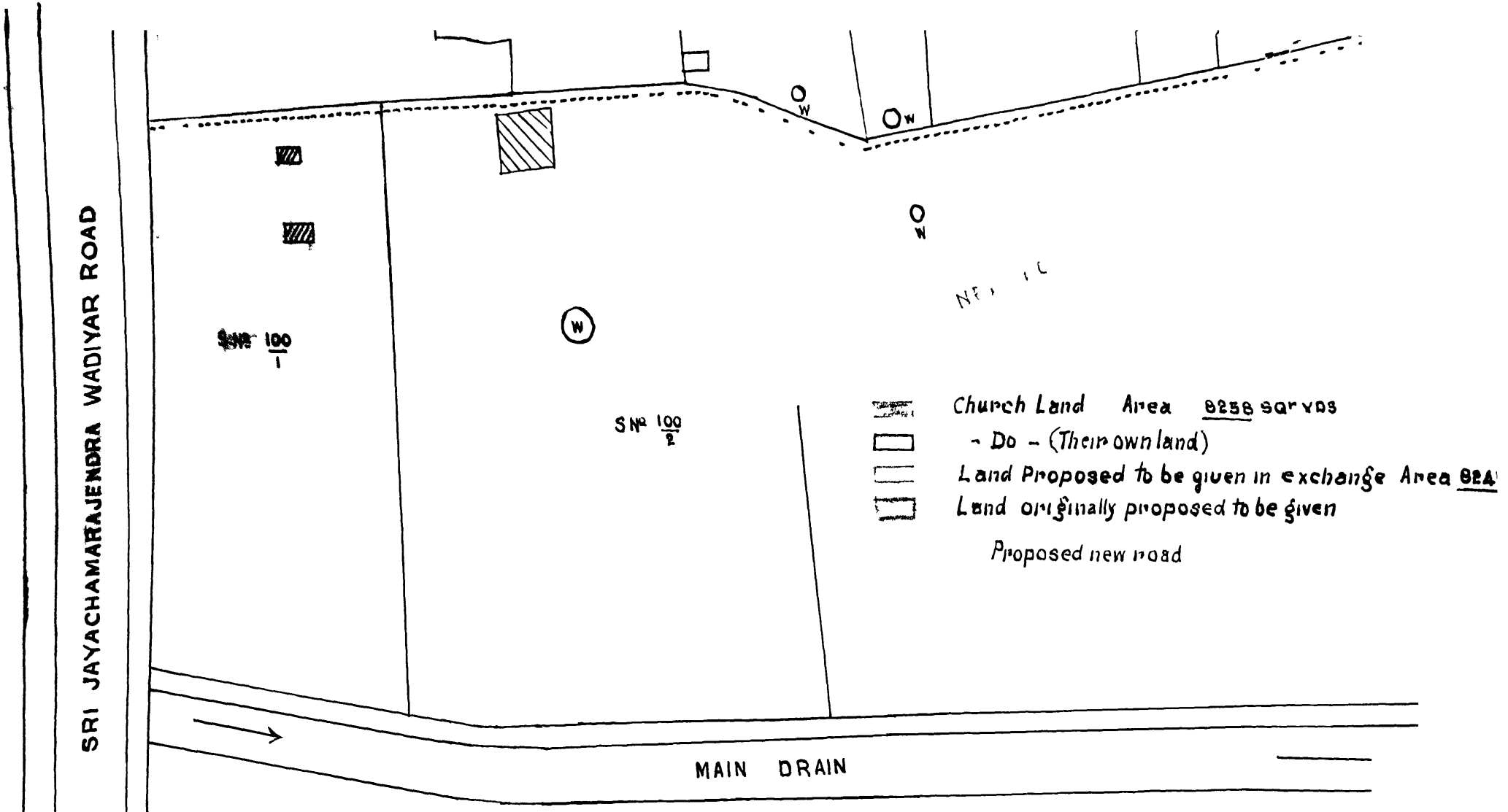
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Church Land Area 8258 sqr yds
- Do - (Their own land)
Land Proposed to be given in exchange Area 824
Land originally proposed to be given
Proposed new road
MAIN DRAIN

PN Shankar Rao
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MUNCIPAL ENGINEER
BANGALORE CITY MUNICI

SITE PLAN SHOWING THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH LAND TO BE ACQUIRED AND THE OTHER LAND PROPOSED TO BE GIVEN IN EXCHANGE IN DODABYLKHNA VILLAGE BANGALORE CITY.

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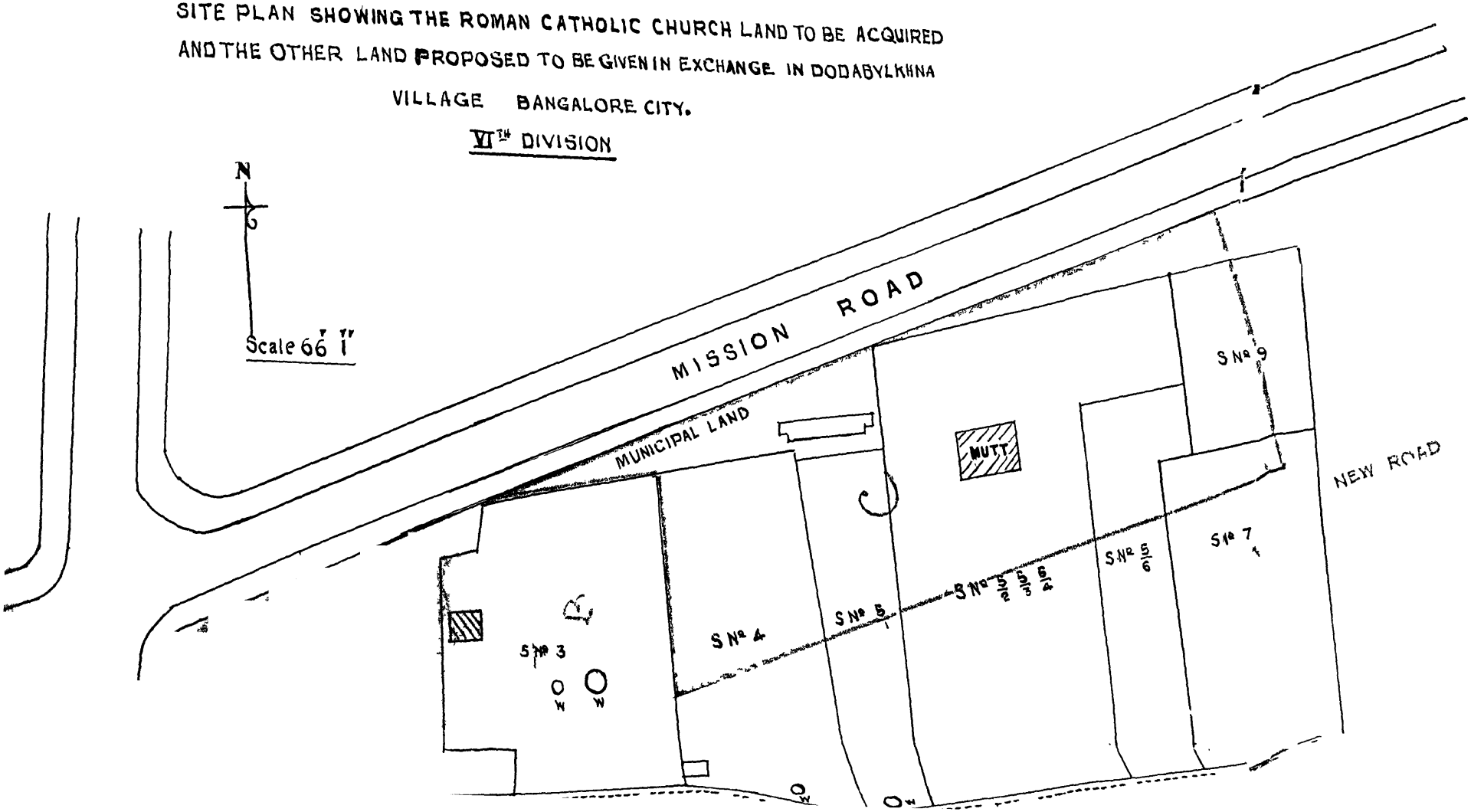

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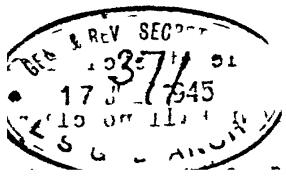

With regard to the claim of the Roman Catholic christians of Cubbennet and Gangammacherry to the church site at Gangammacherry, we beg to submit the following documentary evidence:-

1) reference in 'Histoire des Missions de l'Inde' by A Launay page -\, of which a true translation is appended herewith (marked A)

2) reference in the Mission Administrativ report for 1896 of which a true translation is likewise herewith appended (marked B)

3) a translation from a gift deed in Tamil executed in 1842 by A.Daniel, butler, making mention of the church erected in the concerned area and testifying to the church as being vested in, and under the authority of, the Roman Catholic Mission, Bangalore.

4) whereas certain homeless people have built temporary structures from time to time and gradually encroached on the northern side, the surrounding Hindu and Mohamedan population have always respected the site of one chapel (marked in the paln) and testified to its hallowed associations.

5) whereas the Government has acquired with payment of compensation the whole

whole stretch of private buildings to the Town Hall no claim for acquisition of the site has been made by Government nor has compensation ever paid in respect of that site. ~~The only land acquired by Government is a narrow strip for the purpose of widening the thoroughfare.~~

Submitted by L.P. Mascarenhas, Asst. Conservator of Forests (Web) on behalf of Chairman 10.7.46

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Immediate

A .
Green.

~~H. St. Gorman's Memorial School~~

Bishop's House, Cleveland Town, - Bangalore

In Father Launay's book, p I

A "It appears that in the course of the XVIIIth century one could see in Bangalore another Church situated in the present Parish of St Joseph, in a palce called Gangammacherry "

In the report for 1896

B "The ruins of a church at Gangammatchery, built more than a hundred years ago "

Certified True Translation of the two excerpts as mentioned above

Stan Kemp
R.C. Priest
Bishop's House,
Bangalore
7th July 1945

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C

A written statement dated 6th November 1842, given by Daniel, butler of Arm Singh of the artillery command, to the Rev Father V yagappanader residing at Bangalore, regarding the rebuilding of the chapel at Gangamachary, Bangalore &c/-

Whereas the chapel at Gangamachary was old and delapidated, with the permission of the priest concerned, I have rebuilt the same at my own cost amounting to Rupees 166-0-0 and of my own accord I have made it over to the Catholic Christians and to the priest appointed by the R C Bishop Henceforth neither I nor any blood relatives will have at any time any right or claim over the said chapel - I or my blood relatives will have no more rights or claims than any other catholics in the said chapel Therefore, neither to me nor to any blood relatives shall there be room for claim or dispute in respect of this chapel at any future time

P To

~~Statement of private buildings to the~~

This statement has been made by me of my own free-will and with full consent

Furthermore, I have paid Rupees ten towards the purchase of two silver crowns for the chapel, both of which shall belong to the said chapel

Sd A Daniel

witnesses thereof —
Sd Bandaroppen S/o Kolar Narayanan
Sd Kolar Pallan (Sic) Thomas

written by Arthanarisamy son of Manuel Gnanamuthu Upadesi. H Gaulhot on 4th

Translated from the original Tamil by Rev D D'Souza & I B Pinto

C D'Souza
I B Pinto
of Martin's Hospital
Bangalore City.
7-7-11.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

(*Continuation sheet draft form*)

L 7835 / Rev 4-2-46

Immediate

TO

The Municipal Comm

Bangalore City

Subj - petition of Messrs Raghalakka and others - of Guttampet for the grant of a site to the Roman Catholic Church, Bgre, in exchange for the Church land proposed to be acquired

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with the letter no R1 1240/42 dated 12-7-45 on the above subject I am directed to state that the Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings has stated that the land required by the Municipal authorities consists of certain private properties, some partly acquired and partly under acquisition

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on behalf of the Government and also certain lands belonging to the Municipality The cost of the latter area (i.e land belonging to Municipality) is said to ~~be~~ amount to about Rs 70,000/

I am to request You to kindly intimate if the Municipal land in question may be granted to the Mission Authorities for the construction of a Church, and if so, under what conditions

A plan showing the area applied for by the Church Authorities, is enclosed for reference and return along with the report

The question may be treated as extremely urgent. The decision of the Govt. in the matter is requested quickly if possible and disposed of accordingly

Yours &c

Asst. Collr. 1/2/46

Revenue Secy

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SUBJECT

Section

File No

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Diary No of letter replied to

No L 9052

General and Revenue Secretriat

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the 194

To

Dear Sir,

Subject Petition of Messrs Raphalappa and others of Subbarapet for the grant of a site to the Roman Catholic Church, Bangalore, in exchange for the church land proposed to be acquired

I am desired to invite reference to this office letter No L 7835 dated 4/2/46 on the above subject and to request that the information called for therein may be furnished immediately

Yours faithfully

for

Date of issue 7.3.46

Signed by Mr. G R Das

List of enclosures

Syed Darashah, Esqr, BA,

Copied by Municipal Commissioner Bangalore City

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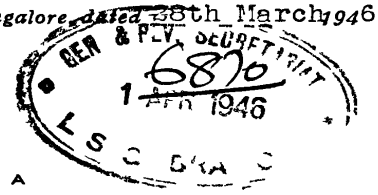
CITY MUNICIPAL OFFICES,

Bangalore, dated 28th March 1946



FROM

SAFI DARASHAH, ESQ., B A
Municipal Commissioner
Bangalore City

To

J B Mallaradhya, Esq., M A,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Revenue Department, Bangalore

Sub Petition of Messrs Raphalappa and others of Cubbonpet for the grant of a site to the Roman Catholic Church, Bangalore in exchange for the church land proposed to be acquired

SIR,

With reference to your letter No L 7835 dated 4-2-1946 and subsequent reminder dated 7-3-1946 on the above subject, I have the honour to state that the matter is before the Municipal Council

2 A detailed report will be sent in due course after a decision is arrived at by the Council in this behalf

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

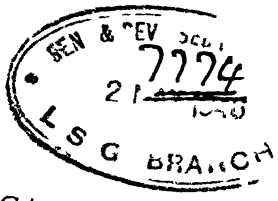
Municipal Commissioner

hsr/-

No L1 C 1240/42

CITY MUNICIPAL OFFICES,

Bangalore dated 30th April 194



FROM

SAFI DARASHAH, ESQ, B A
Municipal Commissioner
Bangalore City

To

J B Mallaradhya, Esq , B A ,
Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department, Bangalore

SIR

Subject - Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Cathalic Church and Grant of site in exchange for the construction of a church

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With reference to your letter No L 7855 dated 4-2-46 and subsequent reminders No L 9052/7-3-46 and L 11573 dated 26-4-46 calling for a report on the above subject, I have the honor to state that the matter has been placed before the Municipal Council for consideration the decision of the Council will be communicated to Government in due course

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Municipal Commissioner

Bsk

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Miscellaneous

D. O L 647 of 12-7-46

Sub, Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and grant of site in exchange for the construction of a church in the Improvement Area, Bangalore. I am desired to invite reference to this Office letter Nos. L 7835-L 9052, L 11573 dated 4-2-46, 7-3-46, and 26-4-46 on the above subject and to request you to forward your reply at the earliest, immediately, as the matter has been pending for a long time.

Yours sincerely

for Revenue Secretary

To

Sah Darashah Esq BA

Ond Comm

Bangalore

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No P 116/46-47

The Palace, Mysore
13th September 1946

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government
of H H the Maharaja of Mysore

The enclosed petition to His Highness the Maharaja, of which particulars are given below, is forwarded with compliments for favour of disposal

From the Roman Catholics of Cubbonpet and Mavalli, Bangalore City, praying for the free grant of a site in the area mentioned for building a church

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By Order,

Huzur Secretary
to H H the Maharaja of Mysore

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RECEIVED FROM
HIS HIGHNESS
12/9/46

HIS HIGHNESS SRI JAYACHAMARAJA WODEYAR, G C S I , G C B ,
MAHARAJA OF MYSORE,
THE PALACE,
M Y S O R E

To our beloved and gracious Ruler,

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We humbly beg that our petition may be kindly granted

Your Highness's grateful subjects,

Dated 29 6 1946,
Bangalore City

Immediate

L 4453/27946

Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and grant of site in exchange for the construction of a church in the Sri Jaya Chamara Rajesha Road, Bangalore City

I am inviting reference to this office letter No L 7835 dated 4-2-46 and the marginally noted subsequent reminders on the above subject, & am directed to request that your further report in the matter may

8052 — dated 7-3-46
11573 D 26-4-46
L6447 D 12-7-46

We submitted a [redacted]
been
the questions pending for a long
time and as the matters are urgent
for the time early orders

Yours faithfully
for
25th Inst

John Davenport Esq
J.P.

Municipal Town
Barcelona City

Regd

Immediate. No 13535-/E

9/4/47

Subj. Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and grant of Site in exchange for the construction of a Church on the Sri Jagadchamarajendra Road. Bangalore City.

Dear Sir,

In inviting reference to this office letter No E 7835, dated 4-2-46 and the marginally noted subsequent reminders on the above subject, I am desired to request that the further report called for may be submitted to Govt immediately as the question has been pending for a long time.

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10915 d 5-2-47	

and has to be disposed of without

further delay

The memorial dated 29/3/47 addressed to H.H.
the Maharaja by some Indian subjects of
Travancore is at present pending for
disposal at Trivandrum. I am sending it
to you with your reply.

Yours sincerely,

Sahib Darashah Esq.,
B.A.

Municipal Town
Bangalore City

P.S. Memorialists might be kept of heated as very important.

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT

J.O.K 135-35^

Dated, Bangalore, 7 April *1947*

Subject :- Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and grant of site in exchange for the construction of a Church in the Sri Jayachamarajendra Road, Bangalore City

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Dear Sir,

In inviting reference to this Office letter No L.7835 dated 4th February 1946 and the marginally noted

9052 dated 7th March 1946
11573 dated 26th April 1946
647 dated 12th July 1946
4453 dated 27th September 1946
10915 dated 5th February 1947

subsequent reminders on the above subject, I am desired to request that the further report called for therein may be submitted to Government <u>immediately</u> as the question has been pending for a long time and has to be disposed of without further delay

The memorial dated 29th March 1947 addressed to His Highness the Maharaja by some Roman Catholics of Cubbonpet and Mavalli is also sent herewith for information and retransmission with your reply

The matter may be kindly treated as very urgent 38

Yours sincerely,

Safi Darashah, Esq , B A ,
Municipal Commissioner,
Bangalore City

Bangalore City Municipality

No A7 D R 93 C 1178/46-47
Encl 3

MUNICIPAL OFFICES
Bangalore, 18th April *1947*

FROM

SAFI DARASHAH, Esq, B A
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER,
BANGALORE CITY

8700
22 APR 1947
S O BRANCH

To

H N Pallegar, Esq , M A , LL B ,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Revenue Department, Bangalore

Subject Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and grant of site in exchange for the construction of a Church in the Sri Jayachamarajendra Road, Bangalore

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SIR,

With reference to your letter No L 13535 dated 7-4-1947 on the above subject, I have the honour to state that the Municipal Council at their meeting held on 15-3-1947 have resolved that the land measuring 150' x 100' facing Jayachamarajendra Road may be given free of cost to the authorities of the Church The sketch showing the land proposed to be granted along with a copy of the resolution of the Municipal Council is herewith forwarded for favour of obtaining sanction of Government thereon

The memorial dated 29-3-1947 addressed to His Highness the Maharaja by the Church people is herewith returned in original as desired

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Municipal Commissioner

Forwarded with compliments

Honorary President

hsr/-

Proceedings of the Meeting of the Municipal Council dated 15-3-1947

Sub No 48

Council resolution dated 7-12-1946 referring the opinion of the C I C dated 18-10-46 approving the recommendation of the Engineer in the matter of acquisition of S Nos 4, 5/1, 100/1, 100/2, 3, 2 and 99 of Agrahar Thimmasandra village for Rs 14,723/- for being granted to the Roman Catholic Church authorities in exchange for the land proposed to be taken from them Also opinion of the City Improvement Committee dated 18-10-46 that the site asked for by the Roman Catholic Church authorities in Old Gangammacherry may be given to them at Rs 15/- per sq yard as per Engineer's plan and subject to usual conditions Also Municipal Engineer's report on the same

The Municipal Engineer explained the whole case and said that the idea is to take some land belonging to the Church authorities and give back an equal extent to them

Mr G Nanjappa opposed the dispossessing of the present residents of their land to give to the church authorities and said that the acquisition proceedings need not be pursued

Mr K M Naganna observed that while they had given lands to other religious institutions like, mosques, temples etc, it was but right that they should give the same consideration to the Church people also Some land belonging to the Church was required for Municipal purposes and the suggestion was that this land may be taken from the church people and they be given some other land in exchange If this was done, they would not be going any justice to the church since they would be giving land for land So the church may be paid for the land to be taken from them and as regards giving them land required for their church, he said that they may be given as much of the land as they actually required for a church and this should be free of cost By doing so, the church people would be getting money for their land to be acquired by the Municipality and they would be also getting a bit of land enough for their purpose, free of cost

Messrs R Thimmiah, C Chenniah, S Ghouse Moiyuddin all supported Mr K M Naganna

Mr K Ambrose Ananda further supporting the above said that the Church authorities may be given 100' x 150' free of cost, and

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and the compensation amount for their land to be acquired by the Municipality may also be paid to them according to the valuation of the Engineer

Mr. Singam Rangaswamappa seconded the above and Mr K M Naganna supported it

Then the above was approved by the House and it was furthe resolved that the location of the plot to be given may be fixed by the Municipal Engineer in consultation with Rev Taxiera and City Improvement Committee

Sd/- A J Khaleel,
Honorary President

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Municipal Commissioner

hsr/-

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MAHARAJA OF MYSORE, THE PALACE, MYSORE

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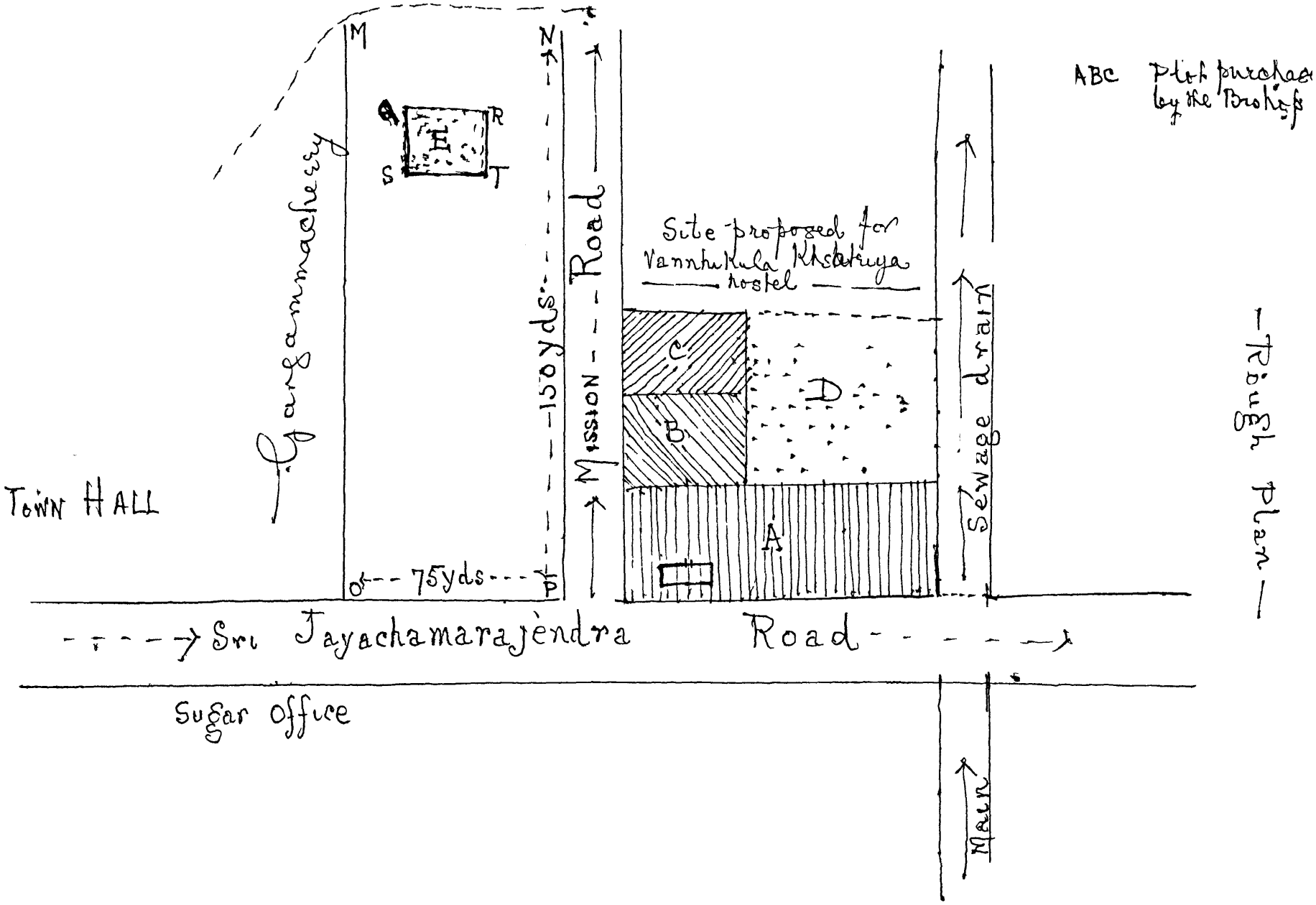
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Rough Plan
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150 yds.
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Your Highness's grateful subjects,

Bangalore City,
Dated 29th March 1945

A Yagappa

P. Robert

Retd Asst Supdt of Police
No 17 Jogipet Road

R Chandappa

T Anantha Rao

A Rayappa

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L 14922
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To.

The Municipal Commr
Bangalore City-

Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and granting site in exchange for the construction of a Church in the Sri Jayachama Vadiyar Road- Basavanagudi

Sir,

With reference to your letter No A7-D No 73-c 1170/46-47 dated 18-4-47 on the above subject I am directed to request you to furnish information on the following points -

Which is the land proposed to be acquired by the Municipality

Rough Plan --

for the authority of the Municipal Council
and what is its Valuer? What would
be Conservation Amount Come up to
according to the valuation to be fixed
by the Municipal Engineer & Valuer
Sketch Map to accompany the report
to be prepared for immediate
reply is requested

Yours
for
Secretary

Annexure

L 17413
dt 25/6/47

Subj - Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and grant of Site in lieu thereof for the construction of a Church in the Sri Jayachamarajendra Road - Bangalore

Dear Sir,

In inviting reference to this office letter no L 14922 dated 26-4-47 on the above subject, I am desired to request that the particulars called for therein may be furnished immediately.

Yours sincerely

Sub Division Engr. B-A

Municipal Town Bldg

for Executive Engineer

Purchase Brochure

- Rough Plan

') Roman Catholic Church

L 1167

21.7.47

Dear Sir,

Subj:- Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and grant of site in exchange for the construction of a Church in the Sri Jayawardhanapura Road - Bambalapitiya

With reference to your office letter No L 14922 dated 25-4-47 and subsequent reminders ending with No L 17413 dated 25-6-47 on the above subject I am directed to request that the particulars called for therein may be furnished immediately.

Sgd. V.J.

for Municipal Commissioner

Sgd. D. Wijesekera Esqr. J.P.
Municipal Commissioner

Bangalore City Municipality

No A7 DR 93-C 1178/46-47
Encl

MUNICIPAL OFFICES
Bangalore 25th July 1947

FROM

SAFI DARASHAH, Esq, B A,
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER,
BANGALORE CITY

To

Syed Abdul Aleem, Esq , B A ,
Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Revenue Department, Bangalore

Sir,

Subject - Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and grant of a site for the construction of a Church in Sri Jayachamarajendra Road, Bangalore

With reference to your letter No L 14922 dated 26-4-1947 on the above subject, I have the honour to state that the matter has now been placed before the City Improvement Committee for reconsideration

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

Municipal Commissioner

URGENT

BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY

REVENUE SECTION 1938
7 OCT 1947
L S G BRANCH

No L1 C 1240/42-43

MUNICIPAL OFFICES,
BANGALORE CITY

Encl One file (Complete) vide two original letters

Dated 6th Oct *1947*

FROM

SAFI DARASHAH, Esq, B A,
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER,
BANGALORE CITY

To

Syed Abdul Aleem, Esq, B A,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Revenue Department, Bangalore

SIR,

Subject - Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and grant of a site for the construction of a Church in Sri Jayachamarajendra Road, Bangalore

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With reference to your letter No L 14922 dated 26-4-1947 and subsequent reminders, I have the honour to enclose herewith the detailed report of the Municipal Engineer in reply to the queries raised in your letter under reference

2 A letter dated 4-7-1947 from Rev Father Texeira is also enclosed for favour of perusal in this connection There is considerable force in the points raised in this letter as the land proposed to be given free to the Church authorities as per recent Municipal Council resolution (dated 15-3-1947) measures only 100' x 150' and is sufficient only for a small chapel whereas the land proposed to be acquired from these authorities measures nearly 7396 sq yards, and had been purchased by them for purposes explained in Father Texeira's letter

3 On receipt of your letter adverted to above, the matter was referred to the Municipal Engineer and he was asked to put up modified proposals which would be more equitable to the Church authorities, and his detailed report shows that he proposes to give in exchange a land area (Revenue S Nos 4, 5/1 & 100/1) contiguous to the land now held by the Church authorities on the East side thereof It may be noted that these proposals in the main are the same as those recommended to Government in this connection by my predecessor (Mr K Subba Rao vide his letter No L1 C 1240/42-43 dated 12-7-1945)

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4 It may also be mentioned here that though preliminary notification for acquisition was issued on 19th May 1944 in respect of land to the East of Sri Jayachamarajendra Road, the Church land comprising S Nos 100/1, 2 & 3 was not notified, as it was then proposed to carry on negotiations for exchange of the area held by the Church (as noted above)

5 The matter was to be placed for reconsideration before the City Improvement Committee and the Council for approving of the modified proposals, but in view of your questionnaire and Father Texeira's letter, I am now submitting the entire record for favour of obtaining Government orders thereon

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Municipal Commissioner

hsr/-

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

(*Continuation sheet draft form*)

By Special Messenger Immediate

To

L 12258/47
3148

The Municipal Commissioner
Bangalore City
Through the President
Improvement Trust Board

Subject - Acquisition of a portion of land belonging to the Roman Catholic Church and grant of a site for the construction of a Church in Sri Jagadchamarajendra Road - Bangalore

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No L I C 1240/4243 dated 6-10-47 on the above subject, I am directed to state that the site now shown in plan No III measuring 100' x 150' facing the Mission Road which has been recommended to be granted ~~recommended~~ is in the Jagadchamarajendra Park area which it is ascertained has been acquired by the Government and the buildings thereon are

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WD 03603—GPB—15 000—8-7 35

re removed

~~It was understood that the~~

Minister for City Municipalities and Muzrai ~~who~~ was pleased the spot on 21-11-1947, and it was then suggested ~~was pleased to~~ ~~suggest~~ that the site to the east of it wherein it is also stated ~~is a fact that~~ an old chapel is said to have existed before, ~~there was an old Chapel~~ may be given to the Russian Authority in lieu of the above site and ~~that~~ this was accepted by Rev. Taxeira and Rev. Mascarenhas

I am therefore to request that a resolution of the Municipal Council on this behalf - recommending the grant of the site afresh may kindly be forwarded early

The Municipal office file is herewith returned ~~with~~ receipt may be acknowledged

By Muddem

Thanks

Sd/ 24/12/47

for City Revenue Officer

Rec. 13-12-47

BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY

No A7 D R 93 C 1178/47-48

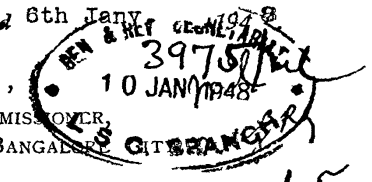
Encl Resolutions & Sketch

MUNICIPAL OFFICES,
BANGALORE CITY

Dated 6th Jany 1948

FROM

SAFI DARASHAH, Esq, B A,
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER,
BANGALORE CITY



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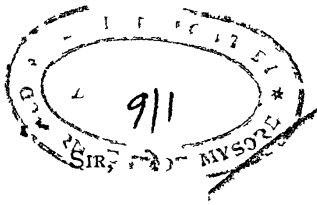
9/1/48



Subject - Grant of site measuring 150'x100' in New Mission Road to the Roman Catholic Church.

I have the honour to state that the City Improvement Committee have at their meeting held on 9-12-1947 approved the Municipal Engineer's report selecting an alternative site measuring 150' x 100' in New Mission Road to the Roman Catholic authorities for the construction of a Church as against the site originally proposed The resolution of the City Improvement Committee granting the land under the usual conditions to the Roman Catholic Church was approved by the Municipal Council at their meeting held on 19-12-1947 Copies of the above said resolution of the Municipal Council and City Improvement Committee are herewith enclosed for favour of obtaining sanction of Government to the resolution of the Municipal Council The sketch showing the situation of the sites as originally proposed and as proposed now is also herewith enclosed for favour of reference and return

have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Municipal Commissioner

Forwarded with compliments

President

hsr/-

BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY

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No 47 D R 93/47-48

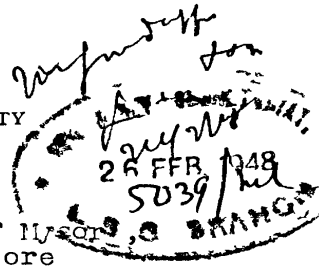
Encl - one

MUNICIPAL OFFICES,
BANGALORE CITY

Dated 20th Feb, 1948

FROM

SAFI DARASHAH, Esq, B A,
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER,
BANGALORE CITY



Syed Abdul leen, Esq, B A,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Revenue Department, Bangalore

SIR,

Subject - Grant of site measuring 150' x 100' in the New Mission Road to the Roman Catholic Church in Sri Jaya Chamarajendra Road

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With reference to your D O reminder No L 13499 dated 16-2-1948 on the above subject calling for certain particulars, I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of report No E3 P R 516/47-48 dated 20-2-1948 in this regard furnishing the required particulars

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Darashah

Municipal Commissioner

hsr/-

Copy of Municipal Engineer's report dated 20-2-1948

Subject - Grant of site measuring 150' x 100' in the New Mission Road to the Roman Catholic Church

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With reference to the above, the following details are furnished -

i) The site proposed to be granted belongs to the Municipality It is however contested by the Church authorities, that a portion of the same on the North West corner where there was a small Church nearly two decade back, is their own,

ii) The proposal involves no acquisition of lands or other houses,

iii) The only condition proposed by the Council is tha the land is to be given ~~to them~~ free of cost

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Municipal Commissioner

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SUBJECT

Diary No of letter replied to 4860

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 1-4-48 194

Signed by [illegible]

May this be—

(i) printed ?

(ii) treated as a Standing Order ?

(iii) published in the Gazette English Part ?

(iv) translated ?

(v) placed at the disposal of the Press ?

(iv) published in the Gazette Kannada Part ?

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File No 78-47

Serial No 187

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

Read—Correspondence ending with the letter No A T D R 93 dated 20-2-48 from the Municipal Town, Bangalore City requesting that sanction to the resolution dated 19-12-1947 of the Municipal Council in regard to the grant, free of cost, of the alternative site measuring 150'x100', belonging to the Bangalore City Municipality in the New Mission Road Bangalore City, for the construction of a Church, under the usual conditions, as against the site originally proposed

Order No dl 1S376-7 1-4-48

under Section 41(2) of the Mysore City Municipalities Act, 1933

The above resolution of the Bangalore City Municipal Council is sanctioned

for

for Revenue Secy

The Municipal Commr, Bangalore City
Chairman the President,
" Comptroller to Govt

R 2748 -

List of Enclosures

Copied by

Examined by

WD 04162—GPB—60 000—23-10-41

Proceedings of the meeting of the City Improvement Committee dated 9-12-1947

13 Municipal Engineer's report selecting an alternative site measuring 150' x 100' in New Mission Road, to the Roman Catholic Authorities for the construction of a Church as against the site originally proposed

Resolution - Approved and be granted under the usual conditions

Sd/- A J Khaleel,
Chairman

"Copy "

Municipal Commissioner

hsr/-

Proceedings of the meeting of the Bangalore City Municipal Council dated 19-12-1947

11 Opinion of the City Improvement Committee dated 9-12-1947 approving the grant of the alternative site measuring 150' x 1(selected by the Municipal Engineer in New Mission Road to the Roman Catholic Authorities under the usual conditions for the construction of a Church as against the site originally propos(

Resolution - Approved

Sd/- A J Khaleel,
Honorary President

"Copy"

Municipal Commissioner

K. 12670

20/1/48

To

The Municipal Commr

Bangalore city

Subj - Grant of site measuring

150' x 100' in the new Museum Road to the

Roman Catholic Church

Sir,

With reference to your letter no A7-

D 293 C 178/47-48, dt 6-1-48 on the

above subject, I am directed to enquire

whether the site now proposed to be

granted actually belongs to the Municipality

or whether the proposal involves no acquisition of lands within

limits and what are the

Subject to which the land is purchased
to be granted for the Russian authority

Thanks
from
Jim Reed

Fri.
15-1-48

WD 04162—GPB—40 000—23-10-41

L 13145 Immediate

5/2/48

Subj — Grant of land on the New Mission Road - Bangalore city - to the Roman Catholic Church

Dear Sir,

With reference to your office letter no 12670 dated 20-1-48 on the above subject, I am directed to request that the particulars therein called for may be kindly furnished immediately

Yours sincerely

for Secy to Govt

Sofi Devasthanam Engg Br
Pr 3245 Municipal Commr Bglr)

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Ack'd
P 169
14-2-48

THE MINISTER FOR CITY
MUNICIPALITIES AND SUBURBAN
No. T435
Date 10-2-1948
13-2-48

Revenue Secretary
10/2/48
Please obtain information
on this question
P Selak
12/2

The Minister
Major Municipalities & Suburbs

4860
17 FEB 1948

Dear Sir,
14/2
I beg to state that you were so
kind enough to inspect the old Church
Site in Gaugarel Cherry 2 months
ago. I will be ever grateful to
you, if you will kindly pass orders
re grant of Site for the Roman
Catholic Mission. To Chief
Lepers Home
Crescent
Barrackpore
J P Mascarenhas

Printed on the Multigraph

Immediate Draft for approval

D O No L 13499/16-2-1948

Sub: Grant of site measuring 150'x100' in New Mission Road to the Roman Catholic Church in the Chamarajpet Ward

Dear Sir,

I am desired to invite reference to the office letter No L 12670 dated 20-1-48 on the above subject and the subsequent reminder No L 13145, dated 5-2-48, on the above subject and to request that the information required may kindly be furnished to the Govt immediately, as the matter is extremely urgent

Yours Sincerely

for

13/2/48

To

Sahb Dawnshah, Esq BA

Municipal Commissioner

Bangalore city

Typed 18-2-48